



Early Journal Content on JSTOR, Free to Anyone in the World

This article is one of nearly 500,000 scholarly works digitized and made freely available to everyone in the world by JSTOR.

Known as the Early Journal Content, this set of works include research articles, news, letters, and other writings published in more than 200 of the oldest leading academic journals. The works date from the mid-seventeenth to the early twentieth centuries.

We encourage people to read and share the Early Journal Content openly and to tell others that this resource exists. People may post this content online or redistribute in any way for non-commercial purposes.

Read more about Early Journal Content at <http://about.jstor.org/participate-jstor/individuals/early-journal-content>.

JSTOR is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary source objects. JSTOR helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content through a powerful research and teaching platform, and preserves this content for future generations. JSTOR is part of ITHAKA, a not-for-profit organization that also includes Ithaka S+R and Portico. For more information about JSTOR, please contact support@jstor.org.

OTHER BOOKS RECEIVED

BY LEON DOMINIAN

These notes do not preclude more extended reference later

NORTH AMERICA

NEW RIVERS OF THE NORTH. The Yarn of Two Amateur Explorers. By Hulbert Footner. 281 pp. Map, ills. Outing Publishing Co., New York, 1912. 8½ x 6. [Information on the practically unexplored stretch of country between the Hay and Peace Rivers. Description of the Alexandra Falls.]

THE CANADA YEAR BOOK 1911. 2nd series. xli and 454 pp. Index. Census and Statistics Office, Ottawa, 1912. 9 x 6. [New tables, including population of Canada by provinces as well as of cities and towns according to the Census of June 1, 1911.]

MINNESOTA TREES AND SHRUBS. An Illustrated Manual of the Native and Cultivated Woody Plants of the State. By Frederic E. Clements, C. Otto Rosendahl and Frederic K. Butters. v and 314 pp. ills., index. Rept. of the Botan. Surv., IX. Geol. and Nat. Hist. Surv., Univ. of Minnesota, Minneapolis, 1912. \$1. 9 x 6½. [Text dealing with 100 genera represented by 274 species and some 25 varieties. Sequence of families is that of the Besseyan system. Of economic value. Profusely illustrated.]

WONDERS OF THE GREAT MAMMOTH CAVE OF KENTUCKY, containing thorough and accurate historical and descriptive sketches of this marvelous underground world, with a chapter on the geology of cave formation. By Jas. W. Turner. 116 pp. Index. ills. Turner Publishing Co., Carrier Mills, Ill., 1912. 6½ x 4½. [A description which would have been improved by more numerous illustrations.]

SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINE EINST UND JETZT. Bearbeitet von Leopold Groebner. 61 pp. ills. Verlag der "Südamerika," Freising b. München, 1912. Mk. 1.10. 8½ x 6. [Suggestive of German trading and colonizing activity.]

AFRICA

THE COTTON PLANT IN EGYPT. Studies in Physiology and Genetics. By W. Lawrence Balls. In series: Macmillan's Science Monographs. xvi and 202 pp. ills., index. The Macmillan Co., New York, 1912. \$1.60. 9 x 6. [Embodies results of researches of economic significance. Many of the data given apply equally to American crops.]

LA FRONTIÈRE ALGÉRO-MAROCAINE. Par André Collietz. 144 pp. ills. Marcel Rivière, Paris, 1911. Fr. 3. 7½ x 5. [Description of the country between the sea and Bou-Denib. Considerations on the value of the Algerian frontier as a base of action for the development of French influence in Morocco.]

LIVINGSTONE AND THE EXPLORATION OF CENTRAL AFRICA. By Sir H. H. Johnston. viii and 372 pp. Map, ills., index. G. Philip & Son, Ltd., London, 1913 (?) 1s. 7 x 5. [A timely and low priced reprint of the excellent sketch of the African explorer's life which originally appeared in "The World's Great Explorers" series.]

ASIA

FLORA OF THE UPPER GANGETIC PLAIN AND OF THE ADJACENT SIWALIK AND SUB-HIMALAYAN TRACTS. By J. F. Duthie. Vol. 2: Plumbaginaceæ to Plantaginaceæ. 266 pp. Supt. Govt. Printing, Calcutta, India, 1911. 3s. or Rs. 2. 7 x 5. [Distribution within the areas given in the title is indicated.]

EUROPE

DOOR HOLLANDS WATERTUIN EN HEUVELLAND. Een schets van ons land. Door Johan van de Haghe. 204 pp. ills., index. La Rivière & Voorhoeve,

Zwolle, 1912 (?) Fl. 1.50. 8 x 5½. [Descriptive sketches of the country which may well supplement the more condensed form of an ordinary guide-book.]

SUISSE. Tome 2-Est. In Series: Guides Pratiques Conty. Douzième édition. Appenzell, Argovie, Bâle, Glaris, Grisons, Lucerne, Saint-Gall, Schaffhausen, Schwyz, Tessin, Thurgovie, Unterwald, Uri, Zug, Zurich. 352 pp. Maps, ills., index. Administration des Guides Conty. Paris, 1912 (?) Fr. 3.50. 5½ x 4. [Helpful to the tourist desiring to travel economically through German and Italian Switzerland. New maps and plans in this edition.]

EINE REISE NACH GRIECHENLAND. Bilder von der zweiten Universitäts-Reise. Von Prof. Dr. Eugen Oberhummer. xii and 105 pp. Ills. P. Gerin, Wien, 1912. 9½ x 7½. [Pen-pictures supplemented by numerous photographs. This memorial narrative of places visited is accompanied by valuable bibliographic notes on the geography of the regions seen. Data on botany and zoology also appended in separate form.]

LA RUSSIE ET SES RICHESSES. Par Étienne Taris. In series: "Les Pays Modernes." 247 pp. Map, ills. P. Roger et Cie, Paris, 1912 (?) Fr. 4.8 x 5½. [Mainly an economic description of the country. Resources, industries and finance considered.]

THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR 1877. A Strategical Sketch. By Major F. Maurice. Special Campaign Series, No. 2. xix and 300 pp. Maps. Swan Sonnenschein & Co., Ltd., London, 1905. Macmillan Co., New York. \$1.60. 7½ x 5. [A review of military operations with comments on their results. The geographical phase appears to have been excluded from the technical discussions, despite its importance as an element affecting practically every movement of the campaign.]

THE SEA-KINGS OF CRETE. By Rev. James Baikie. 2nd edition. xiv and 273 pp. Map, ills., index. A. & C. Black, London, 1913. 8½ x 5½. [The first edition of this excellent work was reviewed in the *Bull.*, Vol. 45, 1912, pp. 382-383.]

ECONOMIC AND COMMERCIAL GEOGRAPHY

GEOGRAFIA COMMERCIALE, ECONOMICA, UNIVERSALE. Di Primo Lanzoni. Quinta edizione interamente rifatta e nella parte che riguarda la "Libia" considerevolmente ampliata. xiii and 480 pp. Series: Manuali Hoepli, Serie Scientifica 259-60. Ulrico Hoepli, Milan, 1912. Lire 3. 6 x 4½. [Deals chiefly with natural products, industries, trade, transportation, emigration and colonization. Leading facts presented without statistics. An elementary treatise.]

MATHEMATICAL GEOGRAPHY AND CARTOGRAPHY

ORDNANCE SURVEY MAPS, Their Meaning and Use, with Descriptions of Typical Sheets. By Marion I. Newbigin. iv and 126 pp. W. & A. K. Johnston, Ltd., Edinburgh, 1913. 1s. 6½ x 5. [An attempt to teach recognition of the chief land forms on the 1-inch ordnance map. Text informing and suggestive. Descriptions of the Ordnance sheets indicated are highly educational, provided the sheets are available for reference along with the reading of the text. The author emphasizes this necessity.]

LES CARTES GÉOGRAPHIQUES ET LEURS PROJECTIONS USUELLES. Par L. De-fosse. vii and 116 pp. Ills. Gauthier-Villars, Paris, 1910. Fr. 2.75. 7½ x 5. [Practical treatment of the subject. Suitable for the cartographer's elbow use. Discussion of the projection best adapted for special cases. Calculations of maximum deformation.]

DAS PHOTOGRAMMETER. Heydescher Konstruktion. Kurze Anleitung zum Gebrauche desselben nebst einer Einführung in die Phototachymetrie für Ingenieure und Geographen. Von Dr. Hugershoff. Herausgegeben von Gustav Heyde. 47 pp. Ills. Konrad Wittwer, Stuttgart, 1912. Mk. 1. 7½ x 5. [A brief description of this instrument and the method of its handling.]

EDUCATIONAL

DESCRIPTIVE GEOGRAPHY FROM ORIGINAL SOURCES. Selected by F. D. Herbertson, edited by A. J. Herbertson. *Asia*, 3rd edition. xxxvi and 290 pp., 80 cents. *The British Empire*, xiv and 254 pp., 75 cents. *The British Isles* (selected by L. Jowitt), xix and 286 pp., 75 cents. *Central and South America with the West Indies*, 2nd ed., xxxiii and 239 pp., 70 cents. *Europe*, 2nd ed., xxiv and 299 pp., 90 cents. Maps, ills., and index in each. A. & C. Black, London, 1908-1912. Macmillan Co., New York. 7 x 5 each. [A series of geographical anthologies which are bound to assist the teacher of geography using them along with text-books and maps. The selections from various writers are almost of flawless excellence, both as regards subject-matter and style. They should aid materially in diffusing knowledge of foreign countries among young readers.]

THE INTERPRETATION OF TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS. A laboratory manual for use in connection with the topographic maps of the United States Geological Survey. To accompany beginning courses in physiography. By Rollin D. Salisbury and Arthur C. Trowbridge. v and 66 pp. Henry Holt & Co., New York, 1912. 35 cents. 7½ x 5. [Outline of method to teach familiarity with physiographic types and their representation on maps. Equally educational in illustrating the effects of surface phenomena and certain geological processes as revealed by land forms. The selection of U. S. Geological sheets listed for this purpose is valuable.]

LA TERRE. Géographie générale. Par P. Camena d'Almeida. 4th edition. 624 pp. Maps, ills. Armand Colin, Paris, 1909. Fr. 4.50. 7 x 4½. [Subject-matter arranged in educational order, and comprehensive without departing from its elementary form. Copious foot-notes often in the shape of short sketches reproduced from well-known texts.]

LESSONS ON SOIL. By E. J. Russell. In series: Cambridge Nature Study Series. xv and 131 pp. Ills. G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York, 1912. \$.50. 8 x 5½. [Should be effective in stimulating rural education and the intelligence of country children by interesting them in their surroundings. Varied practical exercises suggested.]

GENERAL

NOTES AND QUERIES ON ANTHROPOLOGY. Edited for the British Assoc. for the Advancement of Science by Barbara Freire-Marreco and John Linton Myres. 4th edition. x and 288 pp. Index. Royal Anthropol. Inst., London, 1912. 5s. 7 x 5. [Edition revised to keep pace with recent progress. Supplies the uninitiated with the information needed to take anthropological notes.]

THE EARLY SEA PEOPLE. By Katharine E. Dopp. 224 pp. Ills. Rand, McNally & Co., New York, 1912. 50 cents. 8 x 6. [A successful attempt to place the history of primitive societies within the grasp of children's minds. The migration of hunters towards the sea coast and their beginnings as seafarers related in the form of a pleasant story.]

EXAMPLES OF PRINTED FOLK-LORE CONCERNING THE EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE. Collected and Edited by Mrs. Gutch. xxvii and 235 pp. County Folk-Lore, Vol. 6. Printed extracts No. 8. Folk-Lore Society, London, 1911. David Nutt, London, 1912. [A painstaking compilation.]

LE PRINCIPE DU MOUVEMENT DES EAUX SOUTERRAINES. Par J. Versluys. Traduit du Hollandais par F. Dassel. 145 pp. W. Versluys, Amsterdam, 1912. Fl. 3.50. 10 x 7. [A review of the general theoretical considerations relating to the problem of underground flow.]

DANA'S MANUAL OF MINERALOGY for the student of elementary mineralogy, the mining engineer, the geologist, the prospector, the collector, etc. By William E. Ford. 13th edition. viii and 460 pp. Ills., index. John Wiley & Sons, New York, 1912. \$2. 7½ x 5½. [An entirely revised and rewritten edition of this standard work. The order adopted in the description of species

has been changed to that of the chemical classification. The text is brief and direct and the treatment as untechnical as possible. Statistics of mineral production appended.]

AIDS TO SHIPPERS. 68 pp. Oelrichs & Co., Forwarding Dept., 5 Greenwich St., New York City. 9 x 7.

CURRENT GEOGRAPHICAL PAPERS

NORTH AMERICA

MADDREN, A. G. Geologic Investigations along the Canada-Alaska Boundary. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 520, pp. 297-314. 1912.

NANSEN, F. The Norsemen in America. Maps, ills. Reprint, *Geogr. Journ.*, Dec., 1911, pp. 557-580.

United States

BROOKS, A. H. Railway Routes from the Pacific Seaboard to Fairbanks. Maps. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 520, pp. 45-88. 1912.

BROOKS, A. H. The Mining Industry in 1911. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 520, pp. 17-44. 1912.

BROOKS, A. H., AND OTHERS. Mineral Resources of Alaska. Report on Progress of Investigations in 1911. 360 pp. Maps. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 520. 1912.

DALE, T. N. Commercial Marbles of Western Vermont. 170 pp. Maps, ills., index. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 521. 1912.

GRESSON, B. F., JR., AND C. W. STANIFORD. Report on the Mechanical Equipment of New York Harbor. 42 pp. Ills. Dept. of Docks and Ferries, New York City. 1912.

HARDER, E. C. Iron-Ore Deposits of the Eagle Mountains, Cal. 81 pp. Maps, ills., index. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 503. 1912.

HESS, F. L. Tin Resources of Alaska. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 520, pp. 89-92. 1912.

HUNT, G. W. P. Irrigation in Arizona. *Offic. Bull. Intern. Irrig. Congress*, Vol. 1, 1913, No. 8, pp. 61-62. Salt Lake City, Utah.

JAMISON, C. E. Salt Creek Oil Field, Natrona Co., Wyo. 75 pp. Maps, ills. *Wyoming State Geol. Surv. Bull.* 4, Series B. 1912.

KEEN, D. A New Route up Mt. Rainier. Ill. *The Mountaineer*, Vol. 5, 1912, pp. 37-39. Seattle, Wash.

LEFFERTS, W. New England Farming; Its Present and Future. *Journ. of Geogr.*, Vol. 11, 1912-13, No. 6, pp. 190-194.

MATTHES, F. E. Undescribed Glaciers of Mt. Rainier. Ills. *The Mountaineer*, Vol. 5, 1912, pp. 42-60. Seattle, Wash.

MUNN, M. J. Menifee Gas Field and the Ragland Oil Field, Ky. 20 pp. Maps. *U. S. Geol. Surv. Bull.* 531-A. 1913.

NELSON, N. C. Ruins of Prehistoric New Mexico. Map, ills. *Amer. Mus. Journ.*, Vol. 13, 1913, No. 2, pp. 63-81.

PALMER, T. G. Sugar at a Glance. Influence of Sugar-Beet Culture on Agriculture, and Its Importance in Relation to National Economics. 68 pp. Ills. *Senate Doc. No. 890, 62d Congress, 2d Session*, 1912.

[PERISHO, E. C., AND S. S. VISHER]. Preliminary Report upon the Geography, Geology and Biology of Mellette, Washabaugh, Bennett and Todd Counties, South-Central South Dakota. 152 pp. Maps, ills., index. *South Dakota Geol. Surv. Bull.* 5. 1912.

PLUMMER, F. G. Lightning in Relation to Forest Fires. 39 pp. Ills. *Forest Service. Bull.* 111. U. S. Dept. of Agric. 1912.

PLUMMER, F. G. Forest Fires: Their Causes, Extent and Effects, with a Summary of Recorded Destruction and Loss. 39 pp. Maps, ills. *Forest Service. Bull.* 117. U. S. Dept. of Agric. 1912.